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### BRANDED BY TARTARS.

A Greek Robber Who Was Tattooed From Head to Foot.

A remarkable case of tattooing came to light in Professor Hebra's lecture room in a hospital in Vienna a number of years ago. The man was the subject of a lecture, and one of the spectators at first mistook him for a bronze statue. He was tattooed from head to foot, and not a quarter of a square inch of his entire person was intact.

The skin presented an appearance resembling the tracery of an exceedingly rich cashmere shawl. The coloring was done with indigo principally, with enough red inserted here and there to give it effect. His name was George Constantine, a Greek by birth, who with a band of robbers entered Chinese Tartary to commit depredations. The gang was captured, and this man, with others, was ordered by the ruler to be branded in this manner.

On the palms of his hands letters were tattooed which explained that he was "the greatest rascal and thief in the world." It took three months to tattoo him, the indigo being pricked into the skin. The designs represented elephants, lions, tigers and birds, with letters worked in between. A couple of dragons ornamented his forehead. He said his body swelled up very much at the time and ever since had been sensitive to changes in the weather.—Westminster Gazette.

### A DELICATE HINT.

The Present Girard Sent to One of His Ship Captains.

One of the sea captains in the employ of Stephen Girard, the founder of Girard college, had a rural Yankee's fondness for whittling with his jack-knife and on one trip succeeded in getting away with a large part of the rail, although, feeling that he was not without the artistic sense, he really regarded the rail as greatly improved in appearance. When the vessel came to Philadelphia, Girard went aboard, made a general inspection in the captain's absence and as he was about to return to shore asked one of the seamen who had been cutting the rail. The seaman told him the captain and then, afraid his telling might have unpleasant consequences were the captain to learn of it in a roundabout way, informed that official of the interview with Girard. The captain was in terror of a reprimand, but, hearing nothing from his employer, supposed the incident closed. As he was about weighing anchor ready to leave port a dray loaded with shingles drove down to the wharf, and the driver hailed the vessel.

"There must be some mistake," shouted the captain. "Our bill of lading doesn't mention shingles." "This is where they belong," sung back the driver. "Mr. Girard himself told me to deliver them. He said they are for the captain to whittle."

### Self Examination.

Every man's life is an imperfect sort of circle which he repeateth and runneth over every day. He hath a set of thoughts, desires and inclinations which return upon him in their proper time and order and will very hardly be laid aside to make room for anything new and uncommon, so that call upon him when you please to set about the study of his own heart and you are sure to find him pre-engaged. Either he has some business to do or some company that he must entertain or some cross accident hath put him out of humor and unfitted him for such a grave employment. And thus it cometh to pass that a man can never find leisure to look into himself, because he doth not set apart some portion of the day for that very purpose, but foolishly deferreth from one day to another until his glass is almost run out and he is called upon to give a miserable account of himself in the other world.—Dean Swift.

### A Pheasant's Blind Flight.

Speaking of the habits of pheasants, Bailey's Magazine says: "A very curious incident was recorded in October, 1896. A hen pheasant was flushed in a field of turnips, and as she got up flew into a piece of rotten, wet leaf, which clung around her head, completely enveloping it and blindfolding her. She kept ahead to wind, so that the wet leaf still remained plastered over her eyes, and in this plight fluttered higher till she became exhausted and gradually sank to earth again.

"The frequency with which pheasants fly through windows, sometimes with fatal results, is thought to be due to the bird in its haste being deceived by the reflection in the glass of the landscape behind it."

### Sledgehammer Education.

The teacher of one of the grades in a primary school was astonished to receive the following communication from the parent of a pupil:

Dear Miss—Thinking it might become necessary, I hereby give you permission to beat my son anytime it is necessary to learn him his lessons. My Tom is just like his father; you have to learn him with a club. Just you pound noledge into him the way I want. Don't pay no attention to what his father says. I will handle him.

—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

### The Right to Work.

Drum of the Village Orchestra—I don't care what you do say, the tune ain't finished. I've only hit 'un dree 'under an' fifteen times instead of fower 'under, as is my share.—London Punch.

### Idle Bees.

Three bees that give no honey—brag, boast and bluster.—Life

### The Poor Milkman.

A family living in an eastern city found a good deal of cream on a bottle of milk which had been standing overnight, and when the driver called in the morning the pleased servant held it up to the light and said: "Look here, I have never seen anything like this before on your milk."

The man looked at it for a moment, scratched his head and replied, "Well, I don't know what's the matter, but you can throw it out, and I'll give you a fresh bottle in its place."

### Killed by Fear.

Frederick I. of Prussia was killed by fear. His wife was insane, and one day she escaped from her keeper and, dabbling her clothes with blood, rushed upon her husband while he was dozing in his chair. King Frederick imagined her to be the "white lady" whose ghost was believed to invariably appear whenever the death of a member of the royal family was to occur, and he was thrown into a fever and died in six weeks.

### Hedgehogs and Eggs.

Some years ago, not being able to account for the disappearance of eggs, a wire cage trap was set in a fowl run. After a little time this was occupied—not by a rat, but a fine hedgehog filled to its utmost capacity the trap. It was reset, to be filled in a few days by Mrs. Hedgehog. No more eggs were missed.—London Times.

### Not Funny For the Nephew.

"A little change of heir," remarked the old man as he altered his will, cutting off his nephew in favor of a distant relative.

Enthusiasm gives life to what is insubstantial and interest to what has no immediate action on our comfort in this world.—Mme. de Staël

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